UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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FORM D

NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES
PURSUANT TO REGULATION D,
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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Work 'n Gear, Inc.						
Address of Executive Office		Telephone Numbe	1 12 E 10			
293 Libbey Industrial Par	rkway	(781) 746-0100				
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Brief Description of Busine						
Retail sales of work-wear						
Type of Business Organiza						
orporation	☐limited partnership, already formed	_				
_		other (please specify):				
business trust	☐limited partnership, to be formed					
Actual or Estimated Date o	f Incorporation or Organization: Month Year 0 8 0 4		MAR 5 2009			
Jurisdiction of Incomoratio	on or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Postal Service abbr	eviation for State:	WAK 5 2009			
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CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction) GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS CN for Canada; FN for other foreign jurisdiction) THOUSANT REUTERS						
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Federal: Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6).						
When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.						
Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549.						
Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.						
Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.						
Filing Fee: There is no fed	leral filing fee					

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This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid OMB control number.

SEC 1972 (5/91)

A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA
 Enter the information requested for the following: X Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years; X Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securing of the issuer;
 Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; and Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers.
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Particles
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) L'Esperance, Brett
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Work 'n Gear, Inc., 293 Libbey Industrial Parkway, Weymouth, MA 02189
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Part
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) DiPaolo, Anthony D.
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)
c/o Work 'n Gear, Inc., 293 Libbey Industrial Parkway, Weymouth, MA 02189 Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Part
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c/o Work 'n Gear, Inc., 293 Libbey Industrial Parkway, Wcymouth, MA 02189 Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Part
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)
Ewald, Michael
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)
c/o Work 'n Gear, Inc., 293 Libbey Industrial Parkway, Weymouth, MA 02189 Check Box(es) that Apply:
5.00 a 50 (-0.7) a
Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Davies, Stuart
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)
c/o Work 'n Gear, Inc., 293 Libbey Industrial Parkway, Weymouth, MA 02189
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter 🖾 Beneficial Owner 🔲 Executive Officer 🔲 Director 🔲 General and/or Managing Part
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)
Walnut Investment Partners, L.P.
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 312 Walnut Street, Suite 1151, Cincinnati, OH 45202
Check Box(es) that Apply:
Sankaty Credit Opportunities Fund I, L.P.
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 2/0 Bain Capital, LLC, 111 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02199
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter 🛛 Beneficial Owner 🔲 Executive Officer 🔲 Director 🔲 General and/or Managing Par
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)
Sankaty Credit Opportunities Fund II, L.P.
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (5/6 Bain Capital, LLC, 111 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02199
Check Box(es) that Apply:
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)
Check Box(es) that Apply: Promoter Beneficial Owner Executive Officer Director General and/or Managing Par
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zin Code)

					B. INFO	RMATIO	N ABOU	r offer	ING					
1. Has th	ne issu er sol	d, or do c s tl	he issuer int	end to sell,	to non-acc	redited inve	stors in this	offering?.					Y& □	No ⊠
				A	ınswer also	in Append	ix. Column	2, if filing	under ULO	Е.				
2. What	Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?								\$ N/A					
									Yes	No				
3. Does	Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?								Ø					
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Full Name (L N/A	ast name fi	rst, if indivi	idual)		<u>-</u> -									
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(Use blank sheet, or copy and use additional copies of this sheet, as necessary.)

	C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF	PROCEEDS	
1.	Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero." If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box \(\subseteq \) and indicate in the columns below the amounts of the securities offered for exchange and already exchanged.		
	Type of Security	Aggregate Offering	Amount Already Sold
	Debt	s	s
	Equity	\$ 6,500,000	\$ 6,500,000
	☐ Common ⊠Preferred	• -,,	1
	Convertible Securities (including warrants)	s	s
	Partnership Interests		S
	Other (Specify)		s
	Total	\$ 6,500,000	\$ 6,500,000
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE.	\$ 0,500,000	1 0,000,000
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2.	Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."		
		Number Investors	Aggregate Dollar Amount of Purchases
	Accredited Investors	6	\$ 6,500,000
	Non-accredited Investors		s
	Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)		S
	Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE.		
3.	If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C - Question 1.		
	Type of offering	Type of Security	Dollar Amount Sold
	Rule 505		\$
	Regulation A		<u>s</u>
	Rule 504		\$
	Total		\$
4.	a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.		
	Transfer Agent's Fees		s
	Printing and Engraving Costs		\$
	Legal Fees		\$ 20,000
	Accounting Fees		\$
	Engineering Fees		\$
	Sales Commissions (specify finders' fees separately)		S
	Other Expenses (identify)		\$
	Total		\$ 20,000

	C. OFFERING PRIC	CE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND U	SE OF PROCEEDS	
4.		ering price given in response to Part C - Question 1 and to on 4.a. This difference is the "adjusted gross proceeds to		\$ 6,480,000
5.	the purposes shown. If the amount for any purpos	roceeds to the issuer used or proposed to be used for each it is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to ed must equal the adjusted gross proceeds to the issuer se	the	
			Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments To Others
	Salaries and fees	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	<u>s</u>	□ s
	Purchase of real estate		<u>s</u>	□ \$
	Purchase, rental or leasing and installation of mac	hinery and equipment	<u>s</u>	
	Construction or leasing of plant buildings and faci	<u> </u>	□ s	
	Acquisition of other businesses (including the value offering that may be used in exchange for the assepursuant to a merger)		s	□ s
	Repayment of indebtedness	.,,,,,		□ s
	Working capital		S	⊠ \$ 6,480,000
	Other (specify):		□ \$	□s
	Column Totals		s	☑ \$ 6,480,000
	Total Payments Listed (column totals added)		× 5 6,48	0,000
		D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE		
an u	issuer has duly caused this notice to be signed by the indertaking by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Secur accredited investor pursuant to paragraph (b)(2) of l	e undersigned duly authorized person. If this notice is fi ities and Exchange Commission, upon written request of Rule 502.	led under Rule 505, the follow its staff, the information fumi	ing signature constitutes shed by the issuer to any
lss	uer (Print or Type)	Signature	Date	
	ork 'n Gear, Inc.	y 0	February /8 , 2009	
	me of Signer (Print or Type) ane Oser	Title of ≸igner (Print or Type) Chief Financial Officer		

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)

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